

Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of the claims in the application:

1. (currently amended) A personal portable device to be carried by a user and having a primary practical function and a secondary personal entertainment function, said primary practical function including the capability to communicate over a wireless communication network with a separate computer, said secondary personal entertainment function includes a series of downloaded games downloaded to said personal portable device using said communication capability of said primary practical function to form a wireless connection with a game server computer and have said game server computer download at least one additional game, said at least one additional game including as part thereof a tracking arrangement for tracking use information with respect to the play of said at least one game and to communicate said use information to said game server computer over said wireless communication network when said personal portable device is in communication with said game server computer; said at least one game being operable to receive from said game server computer when said personal portable device is in communication with said game server collective results for said at least one game of other personal portable devices including collective high score ranking information.

2. (currently amended) A personal portable device as claimed in claim 1 wherein at least one same game is operable in a sweepstake mode offered through said game server computer; said sweepstake mode being based on an entry for each time at least one game is played and communicated to the game server computer during a predetermined time period.

3. (currently amended) A personal portable device as claimed in claim 1 wherein said personal portable device is a cell phone ~~with a web browser function, and said web browser function is used~~ to access and communicate with said game server computer over said wireless communication network.

4. (currently amended) A personal portable device as claimed in claim ~~1~~3 wherein said web browser function when used to connect with said game server computer allows a user to initially register with said game server computer as a registered user or if the user has previously registered to communicate use information to said game server computer and additionally receive from said game server computer collective summary use information reflective of use information from all the registered users.

5. (original)A personal portable device as claimed in claim 4 wherein said collective summary use information is stored in said personal portable device and selectively displayable when said personal portable device is in said personal secondary entertainment function.

6. (original)A personal portable device as claimed in claim 5 wherein said at least one game includes a display function for displaying game use information received from said game server computer.

7. (original)A personal portable device as claimed in claim 5 wherein said game server computer downloads a series of games to said personal portable device.

8. (original)A personal portable device as claimed in claim 7 wherein at least some of said series of games are eligible for operating in a sweepstake mode based on registration and the number of times the eligible games are played and communicated to the game server computer.

9. (original) A personal portable device as claimed in claim 8 wherein each game operating in a sweepstake mode includes advertisement of a sponsor displayed on said personal portable device during use of said game.

10. (original) A personal portable device as claimed in claim 9 wherein said advertisement is displayed on said portable display device during communication with said game server computer.

11. (original) A personal portable device as claimed in claim 1 wherein said personal portable device is a personal data assistant device which communicates with said game server computer when said personal data assistant device is linked with a computer which connects with said game server computer and allows communication of said personal data assistant with said game server computer.

12. (currently amended) A personal portable device as claimed in claim 1 wherein said game server computer downloads a plurality of games to said personal portable device and provides the user with several options for playing at least some of said games in a sweepstake mode, said sweepstake mode including a draw where an entry in the draw is provided each time a game in sweepstake mode is played.

13. (new) A personal portable device as claimed in claim 1 wherein said at least one game is operable in a local mode and a registered mode where each mode includes game summary information including a series of high scores for collective users, said high scores for local mode accepting any identified user, said high scores for registered mode requiring each user being registered with said game server

computer and the high scores are uploaded to the game server computer.

14. (new) A personal portable device as claimed in claim 13 wherein at least one game is operable in a sweepstake mode offered through said game sever computer said sweepstake mode awarding a prize based on a draw where each game played provides an entry into the draw.

15. (new) A personal portable device as claimed in claim 14 wherein said personal portable device is a cell phone used to access and communicate with said game server computer.

16. (new) A personal portable device as claimed in claim 13 wherein said game server computer downloads a plurality of games to said personal portable device and provides the user with several options for playing at least some of said games in a sweepstake mode.

17. (new) A personal portable device as claimed in claim 13 wherein said at least one game includes a registration function for registering the personal portable device with the game server computer for participation in game tournaments operated by the game server computer where games are played on personal portable devices and game results are communicated to the game server computer when connected thereto.

18. (new) A personal portable device as claimed in claim 1 wherein said at least one game is operable in a tournament for fame mode where said game server computer receives and processes game results from a group of personal portable devices.

19. (new) A personal portable device as claimed in claim 18 wherein said personal portable device is a cellphone.